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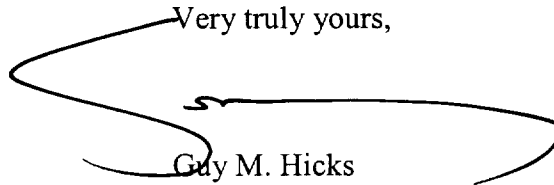
Re: *Petition for Arbitration of the Resale Agreement Between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Tel-Link, LLC and Tel-Link of Florida, LLC, Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

Docket No. 99-00915

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of the Motion of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for Withdrawal of Petition for Arbitration. Copies of the enclosed are being provided to counsel of record for all parties.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
Nashville, Tennessee

In Re: *Petition for Arbitration of the Resale Agreement Between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Tel-Link, LLC and Tel-Link of Florida, LLC Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

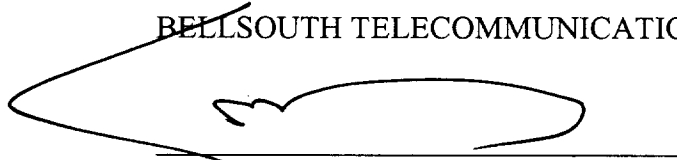
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**MOTION OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR
WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION FOR ARBITRATION**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") hereby moves to withdraw its Petition for Arbitration filed on November 3, 1999, pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, seeking resolution of certain issues arising between Tel-Link, LLC and Tel-Link of Florida, LLC ("Tel-Link") and BellSouth in the negotiation of a resale agreement. In response to BellSouth's Petition for Arbitration, Tel-Link notified the TRA in a pleadings that Tel-Link was in the process of negotiating with another competitive local exchange carrier to sell its assets and its business of reselling telephone service. Tel-Link has recently completed the sale of its assets and business of reselling telephone service; thus, there is no longer any need for a resale agreement between BellSouth and Tel-Link. Accordingly, BellSouth moves to withdraw its Petition for Arbitration.

Respectfully submitted,

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